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Hon. Andrew L. Carter United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007 USDC SDNY DOCUMENT ELECTRONICALLY FILED DOC#:

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Re: United States v. Pedro Rojas-Romero 16Cr324

Dear Judge Carter,

I represent Mr. Rojas-Romero pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act and write this letter to again request an adjournment of his sentencing hearing that is scheduled for November 20<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. Please know that the on-going COVID-19 pandemic continues to hamper our ability to prepare and review materials with Mr. Rojas-Romero.

We are therefore requesting an adjournment to mid-January. In advance of this application, AUSA Jacqueline Kelly advised that the Government has no objection to this request. Know also that I consulted with Mr. Rojas-Romero regarding this request and he continues to believe that his interests are best served if we have the additional time to prepare for sentencing. Should the Court grant this request, counsel is requesting that the hearing be adjourned to the week of January 11, 2021.

Thank you in advance for any and all consideration of this request. We will await further instructions from the Court on this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

By: A. James Bell
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The application is GRANTED. Sentencing adjourned to 3/18/21 at 12:30 p.m. So Ordered.

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